

Mary Louise Guillemmin

Mary Louise Guillemmin of Duxbury died at home on August 8, 2015, surrounded by her family.

Mrs. Guillemmin was born in Taunton, Massachusetts, on September 12, 1940, to the late Bernice (Hood) Weiler and Frank Carl Weiler. She graduated from the University of Dayton, Ohio, in 1962. Mary loved her work teaching elementary school, first in Ohio and later in Massachusetts. In 1964 she married Richard Guillemmin, her beloved husband, and moved to Rocky River, Ohio. They were married for more than 51 years and lived in Duxbury for 43 of them. Mary was deeply committed to her family and community. Mary and Dick raised their four children in Duxbury, spending summers at Duxbury Beach with their children and then grandchildren. A talented floral designer who won awards in the New England Flower Show and judged local flower shows, Mary was also an avid gardener and served as vice president of the Duxbury Garden Club. She enjoyed volunteering in the Duxbury public schools and developed and led the School Pride Project to beautify the school grounds. Music, art, and the beauty of nature remained important parts of her life.

Mrs. Guillemmin is survived by her loving husband, Richard Guillemmin, of Duxbury; her son Evan and his wife, Ricki Stern, and their children, Kyra, Cole, and Finn, of New York, NY; her daughter Amy of Marshfield, MA; her daughter Julie and her husband, Vincent Every, and their children, Ian and Isabelle, of Duxbury; her son André and his wife, Jenya, and their son, Cal, of Brookline, MA.

A Celebration of Life will be held for Mary at the First Parish Church, 842 Tremont St. in Duxbury, on October 3, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

